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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
: Examiner: Houshang Safaipoor  
TAKEHIRO YOSHIDA )  
: Group Art Unit: 2622  
Appln. No.: 09/865,697 )  
: Filed: May 29, 2001 )  
: For: FACSIMILE APPARATUS, )  
CONTROL METHOD OF )  
FACSIMILE APPARATUS, AND )  
COMPUTER-READABLE :  
MEMORY MEDIUM STORING )  
THEREIN CONTROL PROGRAM :  
FOR FACSIMILE APPARATUS ) November 28, 2005

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

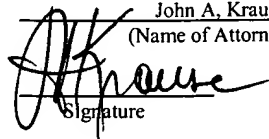
Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated November 2, 2005, please amend the above-identified application, as follows, prior to the further examination of the application pursuant to the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith.

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